COMMON COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE AND LEGISLATION DEADLINES FOR THE YEAR 2005 (Subject to Revision by Common Council)

DEADLINE FOR ORDINANCES; E- MAILED TO <u>CCL</u> <u>BY NOON</u>	DEADLINE FOR RESOLUTIONS; E-MAILED TO CCL BY NOON	REGULAR SESSION 1st READING <u>FOR</u> <u>ORDS.</u>	COMMITTEE DISCUSSION	REGULAR SESSION FINAL <u>ACTION</u>
Mon. Dec. 20 (2004)	Mon. Dec. 20 (2004)	¹ Jan. 3	¹ Jan. 3	Jan. 19
Mon. Jan. 10	Fri. Jan. 14	Jan. 19	Jan. 26	Feb. 2
Mon. Jan. 24	Mon. Jan. 31	Feb. 2	Feb. 9	Feb. 16
Mon. Feb. 7	Mon. Feb. 14	Feb. 16	Feb. 23	Mar. 2
Mon. Feb. 21	Mon. Feb. 28	Mar. 2	Mar. 9	Mar. 16
Mon. Mar. 7	Mon. Mar. 14	Mar. 16	Mar. 23	² Apr. 6
Mon. Mar. 21	Wed. Mar. 30	² Apr. 6	Apr. 13	Apr. 20
Mon. Apr. 11	Mon. Apr. 18	Apr. 20	Apr. 27	May 4
Mon. Apr. 25	Mon. May 2	May 4	May 11	³ May 18
Mon. May 9	Mon. May 16	May 18	May 25	June 1
Mon. May 23	Fri. May 27	June 1	June 8	June 15
Mon. June 6	Mon. June 13	June 15	June 22	² July 6
Mon. June 20	Wed. June 29	² July 6	July 13	³ July 20
Wed. July 6	Wed. July 13	³ July 20	³ July 27	⁴ Aug. 3
	AUGUST RECESS			
Wed. Aug. 24	Wed. Aug. 24	⁵ Sep. 7	⁵ Sep. 14	Sep. 21
Mon. Sep. 12	Mon. Sep. 19	Sep. 21	Sep. 28	Oct. 5
Mon. Sep. 26	Mon. Oct. 3	Oct. 5	Oct. 12	Oct. 19
Fri. Oct. 7	Mon. Oct. 17	Oct. 19	Oct. 26	Nov. 2
Mon. Oct. 24	Mon. Oct. 31	Nov. 2	Nov. 9	Nov. 16
Fri. Nov. 4	Mon. Nov. 14	Nov. 16	⁶ Nov. 30	Dec. 7
Mon. Nov. 21	Wed. Nov. 30	Dec. 7	Dec. 14	⁴ Dec. 21
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2005: Mon. Dec. 19 (2005)	Mon. Dec. 19 (2005)	¹ Tue. Jan. 3 (2006)	¹ Tue. Jan. 3 (2006)	Wed. Jan. 18 (2006)

Deadlines for Legislation: The deadline for submitting legislation and all accompanying materials, including a summary memo, is noon on the date listed. For information on the manner for submitting these materials, please inquire with the Council Office.

Unless otherwise indicated, the Council meets on the first four Wednesdays of the month in the Council Chambers of the Showers Center, 401 North Morton, at 7:30 p.m. The following footnotes explain some of the exceptions to that schedule:

- There will be an annual Organizational Meeting on this date when the Council elects officers and gives legislation first reading. The meeting is held on the first Monday in January, except when it is a legal holiday, in which case the meeting is held on the first Tuesday. (IC 36-4-6-8; BMC 2.04.050(d)) This meeting will be immediately followed by a Committee of the Whole.
- 2. There will be two weeks between the Committee of the Whole and the Regular Session due to the occurrence of a fifth Wednesday in these months.
- 3. There will be a Council Budget Retreat in the Cascades Golf Course Club House (3550 N. Kinser Pike) at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 21st and departmental budget hearings in the Council Chambers at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, July 18th, Tuesday, July 19th, Thursday, July 21st, Monday, July 25th, and Tuesday, July 26th, 2005. A Special Session may be held after the departmental hearing on Monday, July 25th in order to take action on at least one of the budget related legislation.
- 4. Since the Council will have a brief recess after first meeting in August and the second Regular Session in December, no legislation will be introduced for first reading at these meetings. (BMC 2.04.060 (e) & (g))
- 5. The Council will consider the City Budget for 2006 as well as routine legislation during the first legislative cycle in September. The public hearing on the City Budget will be held during the Committee of the Whole that will be held immediately after the Regular Session on Wednesday, September 7th and final adoption is scheduled for a Special Session on Wednesday, September 14th.
- 6. There will not be a Committee of the Whole meeting on the fourth Wednesday of November, which is the night before the Thanksgiving Holiday (BMC 2.04.050(f)). However, given the fifth Wednesday in November this year, that meeting will be held on that evening.